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JOSIAH TURNER, Jr., EDITOR.


### THE RIGHTS OF MARRIED WOMEN IN GREAT BRITAIN.

It would be a graceful and proper thing for the leading women of the woman's rights associations in the United States to indite and forward to Mr. Russell Gurney, the Recorder of London and a member of the British Parliament, a letter of sympathy, thanks, and praise. For Mr. Gurney deserves well of strong-minded womankind everywhere, and especially of all strong minded married women and of spinsters who have been deterred from entering the holy state of matrimony by fears that they might be compelled to pay their husbands' bills. So generally was it felt that some modification should be introduced into the law which governs the rights of married women in Great Britain, that it is not surprising that a bill for this purpose should have been introduced in Parliament; but that a very radical and sweeping measure of reform in this direction should have been received with so much favor as to pass its second reading without a division is due, perhaps, to the great ability with which Mr. Gurney, who has the bill in charge, presented the case of his clients to the British legislators. He told them—and the Solicitor General backed him up in the assertion—that the state of the British law in regard to married women is without any parallel in the code of any other civilized state. It cannot be vindicated on any grounds of justice, morality, or expediency, and has been condemned by every jurist of eminence over and over again. The common law has given the utmost latitude and practical efficacy to the ecclesiastical theory that husband and wife are one, and has grafted upon that theory the maxim that that one was the husband. The law seemed to be an engine for the oppression of every woman who entered the married state,—the husband became the absolute owner of his wife's property, whether acquired before or after marriage, and whether received by inheritance or amassed by her own industry. He might do as he pleased with this property, might squander it, and might even waste it in maintaining a mistress. True, the husband sometimes had the worst of the bargain. His wife might bring him $1,000 worth of property, but she might owe $10,000 worth of debts, of which he knew nothing until called to pay them; he was liable for all her subsequent debts; and if she indulged in the luxury of slandering her neighbors, he had to pay the damages. Mr. Gurney's bill proposes to put a summary end to this state of things. If he has his way, husband and wife will be twain. A married woman in Great Britian will then be capable of holding property, of entering into contracts, and of conducting lawsuits as plaintiff or defendant, just as if she were a spinster; all property coming to her after marriage is to be as free from the debts and control of her husband as if there were no such person. The husband is released from liability for the antinuptial debts of his wife, and for her torts after marriage. But he is to remain liable for her debts contracted after marriage, as at present. If a wife dies intestate, the husband is to have only the same share of her estate as she would have had in case of his death.—*N. Y. World.*

### RUSKIN ON JUDAS.

John Ruskin, in "The Crown of Wild Olives," characterizes in his trenchant style those who like to make money as imitators of Judas:

We do great injustice to Iscariot in thinking him wicked above all common wickedness. He was only a common money lover, and, like all money lovers, did not understand Christ; couldn't make out the worth of him or meaning of him. He didn't want him to be killed. He was horror struck when he found that Christ would be killed; threw the money away instantly and hanged himself. How many of our present money-seekers, think you, would have the grace to hang themselves, whoever they killed? But Judas was a common, selfish, muddle headed, pilfering fellow; his hands always in the bag of the poor, not caring for them. He didn't understand Christ, yet he believed in him much more than the most of us do; had seen him do miracles, thought he was quite strong enough to shift for himself, and he, Judas, might as well make his own by perquisites out of the affair. Christ would come out of it well enough, and he have thirty pieces. Now, that is the money-seeker's idea all over the world. He doesn't hate Christ, but can't understand him; he doesn't care for him—sees no good in that benevolent business, but makes his own little job of it, come what will. And thus out of every mass of men you have a certain number of bagmen—your "free first" men, whose main object is to make money; and they do make it, make it in all sorts of unfair ways, chiefly by the weight and force of money itself, or what is called the power of capital; that is to say, the power which money once obtained has over the labor of the poor, so that the capitalist can take all its produce to himself except the laborer's food. That is the modern Judas' way of "carrying the bag" and "bearing what is put therein."

### THE RECENT FIGHTING IN CUBA.

HAVANA, May 18.—The reports previously received from both Spanish and insurgent sources were greatly exaggerated in regard to the proportions of the fight at Las Minas on the 3d instant. More reliable accounts now at hand reduce the affair to a skirmish. The Spanish and rebel troops in the interior are suffering equally from fevers.

It is said that many of the latter are dying from want of shelter and medical attendance. Trains are again running on the Puerto Principe and Nuevitas railroad.—Case grinding has been interrupted in some localities on the North and South coasts by the heavy rains. The gunboat *Pinchout* has arrived.

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The changed condition which has taken place in the lives of many of the convicts in the State prison at Clinton, N. Y., is strikingly illustrated by finding a once eminent and talented lawyer employed in cutting iron in the forge, the wayward son of a clergyman acting as engineer in the foundry, the sons of wealthy and influential merchants officiating as cooks and waiters in the kitchen and mess room, and the son of a London banker placed in the keep r's office as assistant prison book keeper.


PETERSBURG ADVERTISEMENTS.

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TAKE PLEASURE IN ANNOUNCING TO THE Merchants of Virginia North Carolina and Tennessee, that they have one of the most extensive and complete stocks of

DRUGS, MEDICINES,
PAINTS, OILS, VARNISHES,
DYE STUFFS,
WINDOW GLASS, BRUSHES,
PERFUMERY, COMBS,
FANCY AND TOILET ARTICLES,
SPICES,
TOBACCO AND SNUFFS,

To be found South of New York. Buying exclusively for CASH from first hands only, THEY CAN OFFER INDUCEMENTS EQUAL TO ANY JOBBING HOUSE, NORTH OR SOUTH. Call and examine their goods and prices.

March 26-tf WALTER B. JORDAN, JOSEPH CARR.

TO THE

WHOLESALE TRADE

OF

NORTH CAROLINA.

IN INVITING THE MERCHANTS OF NORTH Carolina to an examination of our

SPRING STOCK,

we desire to inform them that, owing to the rapid increase of our

WHOLESALE BUSINESS,

we shall be prepared to offer them, this season, a stock of

Foreign and Domestic Dry Goods

AND

YANKEE NOTIONS

not equaled in the State of Virginia, embracing every article needed by Virginia and North Carolina Merchants, all of which we intend to sell at

GUARANTEED BALTIMORE PRICES.

We ask of our friends, and the WHOLESALE TRADE, generally, an examination of our stock and prices. We are confident we can save time and expense to merchants by buying of us this season.

One of our firm will remain in New York during the entire season, and we will therefore be in constant receipt of new goods bought at auction, of Manufacturers and Importers.

DAVIS, DRAKE & CO.,

JOBBERS OF DRY GOODS,

Corner of Bank & Sycamore Streets,

PETERSBURG, Va.

Feb. 16-tf

FRESH GARDEN SEEDS.

We have just received a large stock of BUIST'S New Crop of Genuine Garden Seeds, embracing nearly every kind of

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| Artichoke | Musk Melon |
| Asparagus | Water Melon |
| Beans | Mustard |
| Beet | Nasturtium |
| Broccoli | Okra |
| Brussels Sprouts | Onion |
| Cabbage | Parsley |
| Carrot | Parsnip |
| Cauliflower | Peas |
| Celery | Pepper |
| Collards | Pumpkin |
| Corn | Radish |
| Cress | Rape |
| Corn Salad | Rhubarb |
| Egg Plant | Salsify |
| Endive | Spinach |
| Kale | Squash |
| Leek | Tomato |
| Lettuce | Turnip |

Herb.

ALSO, Clover, Timothy, Orchard, Herds, Kentucky Blue and Mixed Lawn Grass Seeds, which we warrant fresh, and will sell very low for cash. JORDAN & CARR.

Wholesale and Retail Druggists,

Jan. 29-tf Petersburg, Va.

N. C. HAMS.

Just received by

April 22-tf DOUGLAS BELL.

HARDWARE.

BEST No. 10. COTTON CARDS.
Coffee Mills, Spice Mortars.
Hand, Tenon and Cross Cut Saws.
Claw, S oe and Tack Hammers.
Smooth, Jack, Fire and Jointer Planes.
Mill, Bowstard and Hand Saw Files.
Pit Saw Files and Horse Shoe Rasps.
500 lbs Sanderson's Cast Steel assorted.
Self Heating Smoothing Irons.

J. BROWN,

May 3 tf With HART & LEWIS.

DAN RIVER LAND AGENCY.

POWHATAN BOULDIN.

Agent for the Sale and Lease of

REAL ESTATE GENERALLY,

Danville, Va.,

REFERS BY PERMISSION TO

W. T. Sutherlin, President Virginia State Agricultural Society; W. S. Patton, Banker Danville, Va.; Hon. Thomas S. Flournoy, President Norfolk and Great Western Railroad; John B. Edmonds, Esq., News Ferry, Halifax, Va., Hon. John B. Baldwin, Staunton, Va.

may 14-6m

IMPORTANT SALE.

PURSUANT TO THE ORDER OF THE Superior Court of Wake County made at Spring Term 1869—the undersigned will sell at Public Auction, at the Court House door in the City of Raleigh on Saturday the 26th. day of June 1869, the following real estate—the property of the late James McKimmon deceased (1) Lot No. 5, in the plan of the City of Raleigh, the late residence of James McKimmon deceased.

(2) Nine acres of land in the South Eastern part of the City of Raleigh, North of the residence of Gov. Worth.

TERMS OF SALE: on the (1) a credit of six months as to half, and twelve months as to the balance. On the (2) a credit of six months. Purchaser to give bond with two or more approved securities.

R. C. BADGER,
Adm'r. de bonis non, cum Test, annex, of James McKimmon, deceased.

may 12-4ds
Standard copy.

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WM. R. HOWARD,
FLOUR DEALER
AND
COMMISSION MERCHANT,
No. 2 SPEAR'S WHARF, Baltimore.

☞ GOOD TO CHOICE FINE, SUPER, EXTRA AND FAMILY FLOUR SUITABLE FOR RETAILING, CONSTANTLY ON HAND.

Feb. 27-1ywlm

To Truck Growers and Shippers.

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T. H. BURGESS & CO.,

PRODUCE COMMISSION MERCHANTS,
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Hides, Skins, Grain, Cotton and Tobacco,

152 Pratt Street Wharf,
BALTIMORE, Md.

ESPECIAL ATTENTION paid to the receipt and sale of all Green Fruits and Vegetables, and our shippers will be regularly posted as to the state of the Markets. Full and explicit directions will be given them for packing and shipping all kinds of Truck. Information also furnished as to rates of freight, expenses, &c.

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*Wilmington—References by Permission.*—Worth & Daniel, Potteway & Moore, A. Johnson & Co.

*Kinston—References by Permission.*—Upchurch & Dodd, Phillip A. Wiley, Cashier National Bank, Bradley & Christophers.

March 16-eodom.

PUMPS.

EVERYBODY who has use for a PUMP should buy MORRELL'S FIRE ENGINE, DEEP WELL AND FORCE PUMP.

Send for a Circular. POOLE & HUNT,
Jan 12-6o. Baltimore, Md.

HARDWARE, MACHINERY, &c.

Encourage Home Manufacture.

ALEX. DICKSON. WM. RICHARDSON.

DICKSON & RICHARDSON

MAKE AND SELL

YOUNG'S IMPROVED

SMUT MACHINES,

OF GOOD MATERIAL AND WORKMANSHIP

All orders, or letters of enquiry, addressed to them at Hillsboro', Orange County, N. C., will receive prompt attention.

All work warranted.

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RALEIGH

SASH, BLIND AND DOOR FACTORY.

All orders promptly attended to.

THOS. H. BRIGGS,
Dec 1. Proprietor.

Buggy Materials.

At No. 44, Fayetteville Street.

HICKORY SPOKES AND FELLOES,
Hubs, and Finished Shafts.
Enamelled, Muslin, Drilling and Canvass,
Moleskin and Dash Leather,
Fire and Carriage Bolts,
Lining Nails, Clasp Tacks and Cloth Nails,
Axle Clips and Curtain Frames,
Hub and Band Bands,
Band Nails, and Curtain Knobs,
Oil Carpetting and Buggy sticks,
Tire Iron, Axles and Springs,
Driving Whips.

J. BROWN,
April 13-tf With HART & Lewis.

Old Iron, Old Iron, Old Iron,

WANTED IMMEDIATELY, 200 000 lbs. old CAST Scrap Iron, such as old Mill castings, Plow castings, &c., &c. Will pay highest CASH price in trade or money for it, delivered at my Foundry and Machine Shops, in Raleigh.

apr7-tf B. P. WILLIAMSON.

Important to Cotton Planters.

HAVING made arrangements with the Patentee of the improved Georgia Cotton Planter, as his sole Agent, I can supply 25 or 30 of these Planters at once. This is the third year they have been used with entire satisfaction. To secure in time, orders should be sent in at once.—Price $25, delivered at the depot without charge. Can also supply the Foster Planters on short notice, at $40 and freight.

JAS. M. TOWLES,
March 17-tf Auction & Com. Merchant.

Granite, Granite, Granite.

I TAKE THIS OPPORTUNITY TO INFORM the public that I am prepared to furnish Granite of superior quality in the rough state for building or other purposes, on the most favorable terms, and if desired can furnish any quantity of dressed stone. Persons in want of Stone will do well to address me before making their orders elsewhere, as my Quarry is the best in the State.

March 30-tf B. P. WILLIAMSON.

MISCELLANEOUS.

Cabinet Furniture.

THE UNDERSIGNED, having completed his large and commodious

FURNITURE ROOMS,

on Fayetteville Street, first corner below the Yarbrough House, has now on exhibition and for sale the largest and most complete stock of Furniture ever offered to the public of North Carolina. The public are respectfully invited to call and examine his new and desirable stock of Furniture, consisting of

Parlor, Dining-Room and Chamber Sets,
Bureaus, Sofas,
Bedsteads, Washstands,
Rocking-Chairs, Chairs,
Tables, Ottomans, &c., &c.

Mattresses made to order.

He respectfully returns his thanks to his former patrons.

A. W. FRAPS.

Raleigh, N. C., March 23-tf

A GOOD ASSORTMENT of can and package Goods consisting, in part, of Imported Brandy Peaches, Desiccated Cocoanut, American Brandy Peaches, Corn Starch, Crosse & Blackwell's Chow chow, Pine Apples and Strawberries, Lobster and Salmon, Peaches and Tomatoes, Sardines and Oysters, Green Corn and Peas, French Capres and Salad Dressing, Jellays and Gellatine Spanish Olives, Tomato and Walnut Catsup Mixed and Large Pickles.

Best brands of Va. and N. C. Leaf and Smoking Tobacco. Trade supplied at a liberal discount.

apr-tf W. C. STRONACH & CO.

IMPORTANT SALE.

PURSUANT TO AN ORDER OF THE Superior Court of Wake County, made at Spring Term, 1869, I shall sell at Public Auction, at the Court House door in the City of Raleigh, at 12 o'clock M., on Saturday, the 10th. day of July 1869, the following property, namely:

THE HOUSE AND LOT,

where James J. Farrell now resides; containing three acres more or less, and adjoining the lands of Henderson Smith; Martha Spivey, Leahy Wilkins and others, situate in the eastern boundary of said City, on the old Holleman road. This is considered one among the prettiest places in or around Raleigh.

TERMS OF SALE.—One-tenth cash; balance in six months, with two or more approved security.

J. N. BUNTING,
may 11-1m Commissioner.

LIFE INSURANCE.

FIRE INSURANCE.

HAVING BEEN APPOINTED THE REPRESENTATIVE OF THE LONDON LIVERPOOL AND GLOBE INS. CO. WHOSE CAPITAL AMOUNTS TO

$17,000,000 IN GOLD.

I am now prepared to Insure all kinds of

PUBLIC AND PRIVATE BUILINGS, RAILROAD DEPOTS, SHOPS, ROLLING STOCK, BRIDGES AND TRACKS, FACTORIES FOUNDERIES,

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IN ANY PART OF NORTH CAROLINA AT EXCEEDING LOW RATES.

I will when desired issue Permanent Policies which insures the property specified forever, unless the assured chooses to cancel his Policy in which event all the premium he has paid will be returned less five per centum.

The loss of a Court House or other Public Building at the present time would be a public calamity, whereas a trifling amount paid for a policy WILL SECURE A SUFFICIENT SUM TO REBUILD SHOULD THE PROPERTY BE DESTROYED BY FIRE.

P. F. PESCUD,
Gen'l Insurance Agt.
March 19-tf Raleigh, N. C.

INCORPORATED IN 1846.

THE CONNECTICUT MUTUAL LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY.

ASSETS OVER 24,000,000,00.

ANNUAL INCOME OVER

8,500,000,00

TOTAL LOSSES PAID, OVER

8,000,000,00.

TOTAL DIVIDENDS PAID, OVER

5,000,000,00.

SURPLUS ASSETS OVER LIABILITIES

7,000,000,00.

THIS COMPANY BEING PURELY MUTUAL, there are no Stockholders to absorb any portion of its surplus funds, but returned to the Policyholders and divided equitably among them by a dividend of one fifty per cent annually, after four years.

This year they have adopted a reduced all cash premium table with immediate annual dividends.

All policies are non-forfeiting for a stated amount after two or three payments.

Insurance granted in all the desirable forms.

S. D. WAIT,
April 16-tf General Ag't, Raleigh, N. C.

MISCELLANEOUS.

AN IMMENSE STOCK OF GARDEN & GRASS Seed, from R. Buist, Jr.

Feb. 15-tf P. F. PESCUD & SON.

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GLASS,

and all kinds House Furnishing Goods.

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Iron Fronts, Verandas, Fences, and all kinds of Ornamental Iron Works.

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AGENTS FOR

IMPROVED AGRICULTURAL IMPLEMENTS, FERTILIZERS, MACHINERY, &c.

ALSO, NEGOTIATE LOANS, ON MORTGAGE OR OTHER SECURITIES.

Those having Lands or Farms for sale, will find it to their interest to communicate with this Company. Office Raleigh N. C.

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Gen. LITTLE, Pres't. R. W. BEST, Sec. & Treas.

AGENTS AND DIRECTORS AT RALEIGH:

Hon. R. W Best, Col Geo Little,
Geo W Swepson, R. Kingsland.

AGENTS AND DIRECTORS IN NEW YORK AND BOSTON:

A. J. Bleecker, Sec & Co.

Feb 25-dkwtm

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HIGHEST INSURANCE AUTHORITIES

SAY OF THE

BROOKLYN LIFE!

"A Company that makes such endorsements on its policies, gives the strongest pledge that it will fulfil its trust faithfully, and keep its reserves sufficient."—HON. ELIZUR WRIGHT.

"The BROOKLYN LIFE has placed itself in the vanguard of insurance reform, and is the first Company that has done full and complete justice to the insured."—INSURANCE TIMES, Jan. 1869.

THE BROOKLYN LIFE, ALONE OF ALL OTHER LIFE INSURANCE COMPANIES, GUARANTEES A DEFINITE SURRENDER-VALUE IN CASH, AND EVERY POLICY ISSUED BY THAT COMPANY, BEARS A CERTIFICATE STATING WHAT THIS EXACT WORTH WILL BE IN DOLLARS AND CENTS, AT ANY TIME, AFTER THE PAYMENT OF TWO OR MORE PREMIUMS.

"The BROOKLYN LIFE has made no half-way work of the adoption of this inestimable feature. It is noteworthy, in this connection, as a merited tribute to the excellent Company (Brooklyn Life,) which has so gallantly raised the standard of reform in Life Insurance, that we find in the whole list of existing Companies, few competitors which deserve so much credit in respect of economy of management, or care, skill and judgment in the selection of risks."—INS. SPEC. Jan. 1869.

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Dividends are paid IN CASH, or applied to the permanent increase of the policy, or left with the Company to accumulate at interest, in either way, at the option of the policy-holder.

CHRISTIAN W. BOUCK, PRESIDENT.
D. P. FACKLER, Actuary, WM. M. COLE, Sec'y.
DANIEL AYRES, M. D. LL. D., Med. Director.

A. W. LAWRENCE, General Agent.

apr16-tf Office—One door South of Mahler's Jewelry store, Fayetteville St., Raleigh, N. C.

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Over $300,000 returned to Southern Policy Holders, after the War, as the Surrender Value of their Policies.

Policies issued on all approved plans, and particular attention called to the ENDOWMENT POLICIES of this Company, as a safe and profitable investment. For further particulars, apply to

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BALTIMORE, MD.

JNO S. PESCUD, Agt, Raleigh, N. C.
JACOB PARKER, " Warrenton, "
A. S. CALDWELL, " Charlotte, "

☞ Other Agents of this Company will be announced in due time.

Feb. 10-3m

IMPORTANT SALE.

PURSUANT TO THE ORDER OF THE Superior Court of Wake county, made at Spring Term 1869, I will proceed to sell at Public Auction, at the Court House Door, in the City of Raleigh, at 12 o'clock M. on Saturday the 29th. day of May, 1869, the following Tracts of Land the Property of Richard B. Seawell, Esq., viz: One Tract lying on the South side of the public Road leading from the City of Raleigh to the Town of Tarboro,' and called the Tarboro' Road, adjoining the lands of E. D. Slater and Drury Partin, and bounded on the South side by Crab Tree Creek, containing three hundred and sixty acres, more or less, it being the tract on which the said Richard B. Seawell now resides.

Also, one other Tract, lying in the Fork of said Crab Tree Creek and Neuse River, bounded on the West side by the lands of Drury Partin and on the North by the said Tarboro' Road in part, and in part by the lands of the Neuse River Manufacturing Company, and containing nine hundred acres, more or less, together with all the improvements thereunto belonging.

Terms of Sale one tenth. Cash; the balance up to five thousand dollars, on six months credit; and the remainder upon a Credit until the 1st day of July 1870. Purchaser to give bond and good security.

J. N. BUNTING,
April 13-tf Commissioner.

D. T. WILLIAMS,

GENERAL

COMMISSION MERCHANT,

No. 1, TOBACCO EXCHANGE,

RICHMOND, VA.

SPECIALTIES—LEAF TOBACCO, AND Grain.

All business promptly done on Commission.

April 19-tf

FIELD AND GARDEN SEEDS.

Warranted Crop of 1868.

JUST RECEIVED, from the oldest and most reliable Seedsman in the Southern country, a full supply of the best varieties of Garden Seeds. Also, Red Clover, Head Grass, Timothy, Orchard and Blue Grass Seed. Orders respectfully solicited.

Feb 6-tf JAS. M. TOWLES.

CHANGE OF SCHEDULE.

RALEIGH & GASTON RAILROAD CO.,
SUPERINTENDENT'S OFFICE,
Raleigh, N. C., April 16, 1869.

On and after April 18th, 1869, Trains will run on the Raleigh & Gaston Railroad, as follows:

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| Mail Train leaves Raleigh | 6.30 A. M. |
| Arrives at Weldon | 2.00 P. M. |
| Mail Train leaves Weldon | 10.10 A. M. |
| Arrives at Raleigh | 4.45 P. M. |
| Freight Train leaves Raleigh | 11.35 P. M. |
| " " arrives at Raleigh | 9.45 A. M. |

The Mail Trains make THROUGH connections with all points North and South.

A. B ANDREWS,
April 16 tf Superintendent.

CANNED GOODS &c.

5 Cases Fresh Tomatoes,
3 " " Peaches,
3 " " Corn,
2 " " String Beans,
2 " " Peas,
" " Salmon,
" " Lobster,

Olive Oil and Worcestershire Sauce.
Jellies and Pickles
Macaroni and Vermicelli &c.
Just received by
April 16-tf DOUGLAS BELL.

MAT. HARRALSON, Late of Yanceyville, N. C.
JOHN D. PAYLOR, Late of Thomasville, N. C.
JAMES M. WINSTEAD, Roxboro, N. C.

HARRALSON, PAYLOR & CO.,

TOBACCO

COMMISSION MERCHANTS,

No. 10, HOLLINGSWORTH'S BLOCK, MACON, GA.

apr1 29-3m

NOTICE.

WE THE UNDERSIGN OFFER FOR SALE a first class Merchant Mill in good order with 30 acres of land property, located 9 miles West of Raleigh, 2 miles from the N. C. R. R. on Reedy Creek.

Persons wishing to purchase can apply to Capt. J. E. Allen of Charlotte, N. C.; W. H. Scott Morrisville or W. B. Allen Asbury, N. C.

J. E. ALLEN,
may 13-2m W. B. SCOTT.

DRUGS, MEDICINES, &c.

DR LAWRENCE'S

WOMAN'S FRIEND!

A SAFE AND RELIABLE REMEDY FOR ALL DISEASES

PECULIAR TO FEMALES,

SUCH AS

LEUCHORRHŒA, OR WHITES; PROLAPSUS UTERI, OR FALLING OF THE WOMB; IRREGULAR, PAINFUL OR SUPPRESSED MENSTRUATION; PAIN IN THE BACK; NERVOUSNESS, WAKEFULNESS, WEAKNESS, &C., &C., &C.

☞ Dedicated to the Ladies of America, for whose benefit it was designed, and whose happiness it will promote, by the discoverer, JOS. J. LAWRENCE, M. D.

TO PHYSICIANS.

The articles of which the WOMAN'S FRIEND is compounded are published around each bottle, and it is believed to be the

Best Uterine Tonic and Alterative yet Discovered.

☞ It is a valuable and reliable agent in all Derangements of the Reproductive Organs, and in Hysteria, Nervous Headache, Spinal Irritation, &c.

J. H. BAKER & CO.,
Wholesale Agents,
No. 4 Main Street, Norfolk, Va.

☞ To whom all orders must be addressed.

Price $1,00 per bottle.

FOR SALE BY ALL DRUGGISTS.

Feb. 22-3m

Copartnership.

I HAVE, THIS DAY, associated with me my son, JOHN S. PESCUD, and the Drug business hereafter will be conducted under the firm of

P. F. PESCUD & SON.

The CASH PLAN will be STRICTLY OBSERVED.—We must have the cash or an equivalent, on delivery of goods.

The Senior partner returns his thanks to his friends, and the public generally, for their generous support for the past 20 years, and hopes it will be continued to the new firm, who will use their utmost exertions to merit and share increased patronage.

All indebted will please pay up this month, as my old business must be closed speedily.

Jan 5-1869-tf P. F. PESCUD.

SARATOGA SPRINGS AT RALEIGH, N. C.

CALL AT

P. F. PESCUD & SON'S,

AND TRY THE

EXCELSIOR SPRING WATER,

ON DRAUGHT,

*Fresh from the Spring at Saratoga.*

Jan. 14-tf

SPONGE.

P. F. PESCUD & SON HAVE JUST RECEIVED a choice stock of all kinds of Sponge, some of which is the most beautiful and desirable we have seen for many years.

Feb. 15-tf

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PERUVIAN GUANO!!!

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CARPET WARP! CARPET WARP!

Cotton Warp for Carpets, ALREADY DYED and READY FOR USE.

ROPE! ROPE!! ROPE!!!

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CORDAGE, &c.

Dec. 1 THOS. H. BRIGGS.

SALE OF VALUABLE REAL ESTATE AT AUCTION!

ON MONDAY THE 7TH. DAY OF JUNE 1869, in pursuance of a decree in Equity made at January Term last of the Supreme Court of N. C., in the case wherein the Haven Mining Company is complainant and Joseph Weisman is respondent, I shall proceed to sell at the door of the Court House of the county of Wake, in the City of Raleigh, to the highest bidder, the following described property, to wit: About

SIXTEEN TRACTS OF LAND,

containing in all some

4,000 ACRES,

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The same to be sold in four like parts.

This land is situate in the County of Wake, and near the City of Raleigh. There is a considerable vein and many parallel veins of Graphite, Plumbago or Black Lead; much of it of the highest quality, extending throughout the entire chain of tracts, some twelve miles in length.

Terms 3 per cent. cash, and the residue of the purchase money upon a credit of one, two and three years.

WM. E. BAGLEY,
apr1 27-4ds Commissioner.

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STANDARD BRANDS OF FLOUR FOR SALE at low price by

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A. D. TAYLOR.

apr1 29-tf

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J. A. JONES,
April 13-tf Bookseller & Stationer.

# THE SENTINEL.

JOSIAH TURNER, Jr., EDITOR.

FRIDAY, MAY 21, 1869.


### REVERENCE FOR LAW.

We had marked out for discussion in these columns certain points, but as the writer will close his editorial labors to-day, he can only refer, and somewhat hurriedly, to one or two ideas which deserve elaboration. Recently we discussed the "Right of Self-Government," it being the continuation of a train of thought which we deemed important and to the development of which we bestowed some pains. We take up the thread where we dropped it in our article on Wednesday, and without farther introduction.

The principle of self-government, as incorporated in our Federal Constitution, can not be sneered into contempt by the assertion that it involves a want of fixed and practical reverence for law—that it robs law of its sanctity and makes it level with the mere obligations of a bargain. On the contrary, to the laws which self-governing men enact for themselves, and for their own government, there are sanctions of peculiar dignity and power. The sneer proceeds on the supposition that laws made for men by a power above them, in which they have no share, will secure a homage and reverence which they cannot feel for constitutions and enactments which proceed from themselves. But how fallacious all this is. Let us examine. Take some despotic monarchy—some Imperialistic Utopia. The law comes down to the people from the strong palaces of power. It is flashed in their eye from the gleaming points of myriad bayonets and swords. It is thundered in their ear by the artillery and the drum and "the ear piercing fife."—For long, weary ages down-trodden men have gazed with stupid awe on this tremendous array of power, and serf like they have been forced to bow with deep submission before its awful mandates. But after all, what sort of reverence is this to law? Does the culprit really look with reverence upon the law that binds or punishes him? Can freemen love the lash that is applied to them? The man who through dire necessity yields to the will of the despot neither loves the man nor reverences his law. The spirit that bows before an enthroned despotism is not the spirit that reverences law. Such a power—such a government is outside of the soul; it does not fix itself in the innermost convictions of the mind. When a man thus yields he pays no true homage to conscience and the warm affections of the heart. He surely acts a lie; he merely bows in submission to a law he dare not contravene or oppose.

But when a great people thus enact—"We in order to form a more perfect union, establish justice, insure domestic tranquility, provide for the common defence, promote the general welfare, and secure the blessings of liberty to ourselves and our posterity, do ordain and establish this Constitution"—when this enactment comes from a nation, of whom our readers are a part, then we hear the voice of law which sounds to a freeman's soul like the majestic echo of the voice of Jehovah. It does not appeal to our fears. It does not crush our manhood. It does not place under foot for chastisement from the rod of arbitrary power the free, unfettered spirit of man. It is acknowledged as an obligation which all of us have personally assumed—a real duty, great and consequential, which we recognize and feel—a grand, glorious privilege which we all in common enjoy. Now here is true reverence for law. Here comes in the only correct idea of reverence for that which governs us. It is because of this participation in the law that governs that we feel in our souls its power. The principle of obedience has seated itself within—it is a part of us—its throne is our souls. It grasps the very conscience itself, and, as a legitimate result, our moral nature is swayed and controlled. The freeman who helps to make the law that governs him, is prepared fully to render the necessary homage—the homage of an intelligent being, conscious of moral obligation and duly impressed with the signal properties of the law.

But we must conclude these reflections, but not without adding at least one more remark. The true principle of self-government is in no sense irreligious. Its tendencies are the other way when correctly apprehended. The whole scheme is not antagonistic to the law of Heaven. If the freedom for which we contend were in the least degree to collide or antagonize with the law of God, then we might all well conclude that it was a false freedom—a scheme that was originated in wickedness and well deserving of every good man's serious and earnest reprobation. But this is not the case. In no sense is such a freedom—with well-defined principles of self-government, in hostility to the Word of God or the progress of His Gospel. Only rescue it from false glosses, and at once all may see that it is a system into which the most profoundly religious mind may throw itself with unhesitating earnestness.

The system of government under which we have lived, and two generations before us, was the production of men who had proper religious convictions—men who reverenced their Maker and adored truth and right. Hence they made a Constitution that guaranteed absolute soul-liberty to all—the right of every soul to serve and worship God according to its own convictions. The great and wise men saw the perfect harmony between these two important and eternal truths: that government is the ordinance of God, and obedience to its laws is obedience to Him. But we must leave the subject. In days like these in which we live, when men are forgetting the great experiences of the past and becoming enamored of foreign and hurtful ideas, we believe it judicious to recur to first principles. Hence, we have attempted to direct the minds of our readers, in a series of articles, to the fundamental ideas upon which the wise men of the eighteenth century built that noble structure—the Federal Constitution. *Esto perpetua.*

### THAT NEW BOOK.

It was our purpose to follow up our discussion of Mr. Edward J. Pollard's literary exercises by an examination of some advanced sheets of his new escapade in the biographical line, which have been sent us by his publishers, but time and opportunity fail us. We are so impressed with the necessity and duty of puncturing thoroughly this historical bladder, that we reserve the task for another time when we will have more leisure. We trust those North Carolina editors, "native and to the manor born," who have the requisite qualifications, will not fail to give Mr. Pollard "a Roland," in the way of just criticism, for his very poor "Oliver" in the way of historical perversion. If we have treated him with forbearance, it did not originate in any special regard for his claims as a historian. He merits richly the denunciation of every North Carolinian who has a proper regard for the reputation of his people, and a proper reverence for the memories of the heroes of a hundred fights. We sincerely hope that none of our people will buy his new book. If it is as false as those he has already published, it will be anything else than a "Life of Jefferson Davis." An enemy never yet wrote the truth about the object of his hatred and prejudices. So save your money. That is our parting advice.

"Forney has been writing about Kenesaw Mountain, which he says "was held by our forces for many days against fearful odds." A captious critic reminds Forney that it was the Confederates that held it, and "our forces" that formed the "fearful odds."

We copy this paragraph that our readers may see how veracious Forney is. He only makes the slight mistake of crediting to the Federals the glory achieved by the Rebels. That is all.

This is an appointment which the country will not approve, and which the Senate, when it meets, ought not to confirm. It is a bad appointment, made in the face of light; for though, when the name of Mr. Sickles was first mentioned, in connection with the Spanish mission, the administration might have been ignorant of his character, this cannot now be said.—*Evening Post, (Radical.)*

We give this old paper due credit for this comment upon Dan Sickles' appointment as Minister to Spain. The selection of such a character for a foreign mission is a disgrace to the country.

### *OPENING OF THE MEMPHIS COMMERCIAL CONVENTION—LETTER FROM GENERAL LEE.*

MEMPHIS TENN, May 18.—Nearly eight hundred delegates attended the opening of this convention. After the preliminary organization, a letter was announced from Gen. Lee amid tremendous cheering. The letter reads as follows:

"*Washington College, Lexington Va., May* 17.—My Dear Sir: I regret that I have been unable until to day, on account of absence from Lexington, to reply to your letter of invitation to attend the commercial convention at Memphis on the 18th inst.—It would afford me great gratification to aid in every way in my power the efforts that are making to restore the prosperity of the country. I should take peculiar pleasure in meeting, on this occasion, the citizens of Memphis, but find so much business appertaining to the college requiring my attention that it would be impossible for me to neglect it. I therefore trust that the important subjects to be considered by the convention will be so determined to secure the best interests of the country and people.

"With great respect, yours, obediently,
R. E. LEE."

At the close of the reading of the letter the applause was vigorously renewed three several times, and it was some time before the business of the Convention could proceed. Senator Fowler then addressed the body. He said the greatest captain in the country had said there was gold enough in the West to pay the national debt, and the railroads across the continent were the key to unlock that strong box; but he (Mr. Fowler) disagreed with that individual, and thought the cotton of the South was worth more than all the gold in the Rocky Mountains. He said the national debt was eating up not only the products of the poor, but the capital of the country; and if this thing continued, ruin was inevitable. The Southern slope was entitled to a Pacific railroad line, and he thought their effort to secure one would succeed at the next session of Congress. He concluded by saying he would address the Convention again.

The permanent president of the convention, General Anderson, was a colonel of Ohio troops during the war. His address on taking the chair was enthusiastically applauded. A very large lobby of Southern bankers and railroad men is in attendance on the convention, and it is highly probable that a memorial to Congress for fostering legislation to Southern industrial interests will be adopted.

SECOND DAY'S PROCEEDINGS—SPEECH OF SENATOR SPRAGUE.

MEMPHIS, May 19.—To-day the convention was called to order at 9 A. M. There are 800 delegates present. After the announcement of the standing committees, Senator Sprague, who was present, being loudly called for, addressed the convention for half an hour, dwelling particularly upon the pernicious effects of the centralization of money power as it is in New York, and taking strong ground against free trade, showing that by the combination England and France had formed for the culture of cotton in Egypt they would eventually drive it from America, unless means were taken to reform and cheapen labor at the South. His remarks were listened to with eagerness, and were well received.

LONDON, May 18.—The *Standard* to-day has an article on the Alabama claims treaty. It says: The idea of awaiting further expressions from Parliament and Congress commits the business to indefinite postponement. England's sentiment being clearly pronounced, she is still prepared to submit to a proper tribunal the question of wrongs and damages, but any attempt to reopen controversy on preposterous grounds, whatever the American sentiment may be, is absurd. From this position England cannot recede.

For the Sentinel.

### *PEN AND INK SKETCHES OF THE UNIVERSITY OF NORTH CAROLINA, AS IT HAS BEEN.*

DEDICATED TO THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE, AND TO THE ALUMNI OF THE UNIVERSITY.

NO. 9

NOW AND THEN.

It is, as yet, difficult for one who knew Gov. Swain intimately, to sit down and write of him critically and dispassionately. He has been too recently among us. It is as if he had just gone out of the room with a pleasant look backward upon his friends, and delicacy forbids that we should fall at once upon a discussion of him, his character and his ways. It seems but yesterday that he was the life of the University,—wearing indeed an air of deepest anxiety, but still hopeful of the future,—looking forward to the Commencement—"the last Commencement," as was too truely foreboded, but which he would not allow to be so called. You are anticipating evil, he would say, which is, by no means, certain or inevitable. Gov. Holden has a splendid opportunity before him, and he is too shrewd a man, and too able a man, not to see it and seize it. He will take care of his own interests, and one way to do that is to secure the educational interests of the State. The University will not be allowed to go down. A friend writing just one year ago said of Chapel Hill, that "*night was now closing in upon it, after a long twilight.*" The Governor did not like this.—He would not see it, nor allow it to influence him. I really do not know a more affecting and truly noble picture than that presented by Gov. Swain in his last days—All parties assailed him. His best friends shook their heads and were among the doubters. Even those who had eaten of bread provided by him, turned against him. His motives were maligned, his ability was questioned, his very infirmities were thrown up against him. But he struggled on, perhaps blindly, but manfully. Conscious of his own purity,—of his undying love for North Carolina, and her Institutions, feeling that after thirty three years of undivided devotion to her University, its life and its, were indeed bound up together and could not be sundered but by death,—trusting that the storm would soon abate, and that he would live to see that turn in the tide which sooner or later must come—that the clouds would lift and that his setting sun would yet throw a parting flood of gold on these beloved walls, these hills, these solemn groves.

In vain—in vain!—but who can consider it unmoved.

IN THE PROVIDENCE OF GOD.

It was a favorite phrase of the Governor: *In the Providence of God.* And now we who survive him may well take it up and apply it to the catastrophe which put an end to his manful endeavor, to his anxieties and apprehensions. In the Providence of God he was removed from his vain struggle with the blind passions of men, removed before he could see the fine vessel which he had steered so long and so skilfully, finally and hopelessly a wreck lying high and dry among the rocks,—before he could see pecuniary ruin and dispersion of those who by his advice and from attachment to him, had clung to its through all, and spent their last energies in its behalf. It was, indeed, the Providence of God most beneficently exerted towards him—and as if it were saying to him, "It is enough, leave thy work and come up higher. Lay down thy cross and take thy crown."

GOV. SWAIN'S FACULTY.

Such reflections dim the eyes, and unsteady the hand of one who attempts to portray Gov. Swain's work and influence upon the University. That he erred sometimes—that his judgment was not infallible, nor he himself free from some weaknesses, it will be the duty of his biographer to point out—since such close criticism is one of the penalties which all men who stand on eminences must pay. But a "pen and ink sketch" can only give outlines and results. Governor Swain's administration at Chapel Hill challenges, and will receive a great deal of scrutiny.

That he believed in numbers was very apparent. I think he had an idea that the attrition of a large society was an important element in a young man's education. That the breadth gained was an offset to the want of depth. However this may be, he was careful at the outset and always to surround himself with an able and attractive band of co-workers. The election of a new Professor—the creation of a new Chair, were matters that called out all his precision, his energies, his sagacity. Yet nevertheless he failed sometimes signally; and just because of that over anxiety and scrupulousness. He was for consulting too many interests and conciliating too many parties. He has been known to sanction the election of an inferior man because the applicant was a member of some church which in his opinion ought to be represented in the Faculty, in order to attract students from that denomination.

He did not like to change his working corps. He liked to have his Faculty grow into their work. It has been indeed a remarkable feature of the University that its more important officers have remained so long in their chairs. This gave tone and consistency to its management. In its seventy-four years of existence it has had virtually but two Presidents. Dr. Mitchell and Dr. Phillips remained there at work uninterruptedly for forty years, till summoned away by death while still in harness. Prof. Fetter was elected to the chair of Greek in 1838, and remained at his post till 1869, just thirty years. Judge Battle moved to Chapel Hill in 1843, and was more or less connected with the University, as Trustee and Law Professor, till his also colored departure in 1868.

Prof. Charles Phillips left Princeton, in 1844, to enter the Faculty as Tutor of Mathematics, subsequently becoming Professor of Civil Engineering and Pure Mathematics, remaining immovably attached to it for 25 years. Dr. Hubbard came in 1848, and remained till 1868, when he, with the rest, was compelled, *by the Representatives of North Carolina*, to vacate the chair he had so long adorned as the finest Latin scholar, the most elegant writer, and one of the best bred gentlemen in the South. These gentlemen stood round Gov. Swain and supported him to the last. They stood round his death-bed, and laid him in his grave; then meeting once more in the sick room of one of them, they finally commended each other, and the University they had served so long, to God in earnest prayer,—shook hands and parted.

GOV. SWAIN'S ADMINISTRATION.

Gov. Swain's notions of discipline have been censured as too lax, and his standard of scholarship as too low. I know there were often collisions of opinion as to discipline between him and the two Senior Professors, who, having been gratted with Dr. Caldwell's ideas, were for holding rather tight reins. As to this question, it must always be remembered that Gov. Swain was a man of very great natural amiability. He had consideration always,—even for his enemies,—allowances to make,—hopes to hold out. And when others were for using the knife and cutting off the offending member without mercy, Gov. Swain was thinking of the parents at home,—the anguish and mortification there,—and the ruined boy's return to them. He erred here sometimes there is no doubt, but it was an error that had a bright side as well as a dark one.

### *BATTLES IN CUBA.*

[Correspondent of the New York World.]

HAVANA, May 12.—On last Friday night a government steamer arrived here from Nuevitas, loaded with wounded men. A part of these were landed at once and sent to the military hospital, while the balance were taken to the same place in the morning. This attracted considerable attention, and the public anxiety to know where and when the men were wounded became great. The authorities would not satisfy this desire for news, but, on the contrary, did all they could to prevent the facts of the case from becoming known, and with partial success. The Havana journals were forbidden to announce the arrival of the wounded or to give particulars of the engagement fought in the district of Puerto Principe.

Anxiously the arrival of another vessel from Nuevitas was expected. This came in the form of the Spanish war steamer Bazan, that entered port on yesterday morning, thirty-six hours from Nuevitas. Although the Spanish authorities have labored as assiduously after as before the arrival of the Bazan to prevent the facts about the engagement to leak out, I have succeeded in obtaining good and positive information that shows that the result of the fight was far more terrible to the Spaniards than to the insurgents; that victory perched upon the standards of the Cuban patriots, and the flag of Castile and Leon suffered its worst defeat since the revolution began at Para. Particulars run thus;

Generals Quesada and Castillo gathered together over 4,000 of their best troops at a point beyond Las Minas and intrenched themselves, and then watched the movements of the Spaniards keenly, with the hope of discovering a weak spot whereat to attack them. A large body of Spanish soldiers, led, as far as I can learn, by Generals Letona as well as by General Lesca, assaulted the insurgent positions on the 3d, and, despite a most stubborn resistance, would have carried them, had not the Marquis of Santa Lucia, who had been some miles off, hurried to the assistance of Generals Quesada and Castillo, and, unexpectedly to the Spaniards, attacked them on one of their flanks. These insurgent reinforcements are said to have exceeded 3,000 men, most of them sadly armed, very many having only *machetes* and cane knives in their hands. But they fought bravely, with the determination to win, and pressing boldly, unflinchingly upon the Spaniards, soon changed the aspect of the engagement. The superior drill, discipline, and armament of the Spanish troops would perhaps, however, have still given them the victory, had not the four fifths, or about 400 men, of one of the wings of Yoller's Battalion of Havana Colored Volunteers at a critical moment raised the shout of "*Viva la libertad! viva Cuba libre!*" and, killing most of their officers and companions that tried to prevent them, passed over to the insurgents, and aided them most effectually in their struggle. The Spanish troops had to succumb before this desertion of the colored men and give up the day as lost. The Catalan Volunteers covered the retreat, and though they fought bravely, yet their military inexperience and partial ignorance of drill and tactics told against them, and they were more than once thrown into confusion, and thereby lost heavily in killed and wounded. Quite a number of the wounded brought here are Catalans.

What was the loss of the insurgents in the engagement I have not been able to ascertain, even approximatively. No doubt it was very large. A rumor prevailed in Nuevitas that General Arteaga is among their killed, and Generals Castillo and Porro among their wounded, but this strongly needs confirmation. That the Spanish loss was also large is unquestionable, even if one does not take into count the negro soldiers that passed over. Many of the best and bravest of the Spanish officers are reported killed and wounded. I hope to be able to give you some of their names in my next.

I must here say that according to a gentleman of Havana, whom I have generally found well-posted, there have been four recent engagements fought between Nuevitas and Puerto Principe. The first was on the 30th of April at Altagracia, between the column of General Lesca and a body of insurgents under General Castillo; the second on May 1, on Bayate Hill, between the regiment of Colonel Goyeneche and General Castillo's rear guard. In these actions the Spaniards had the advantage, though the losses of either side in both of them did not exceed one hundred and twenty men. The third engagement was that of General Lesca, mentioned above, in which, even according to the meagre but vainglorious accounts of the Spaniards, their troops lost the field and abandoned a part of their wounded to the insurgents. Finally, the fourth engagement was fought on the 9th between the troops of Generals Letona and Quesada, and it was here that the Marquis of Santa Lucia came up as a saviour of the day to the insurgents; that the Spanish colored troops passed over to their opponents, and in consequence the Spaniards were so badly thrashed.

LATER.

HAVANA, May 13.—Further news from Nuevitas fully confirm the particulars of the defeat of the Spaniards on the 3rd. The engagement occurred at Sabana Nueva, and resulted even worse for the Spanish troops than reported in my letter of yesterday.—They lost nearly all of their provision-wagons, baggage-train, &c., and part of their artillery. General Lesca commanded them. The Marquis, Santa Lucia, with his very timely re-inforcements, and the Spanish Colored Volunteers that changed sides, decided the contest. The insurgents from first to last had in the action over 7,000 men, the Spaniards about 3,500. The fight lasted nearly seven hours. The Catalans suffered heavily, and lost over 200 men. Colonel Yoller, of the Spanish Colored Volunteers, is now reported to be among the killed.—The engagement of the 5th was an unimportant skirmish between a part of the troops of General Letona, and a detachment from General Castillo's command. An engagement of importance is likely to occur at any moment between General Letona's army, and that of General Quesada, in the environs of Las Minas. The insurgent successes in the district of Puerto Principe have rendered the Cubans of Havana brimful of joy, and many are very imprudently giving rather public expression to it, which may yet cause an attack upon them by the vexed volunteers, and so this city be again disgraced by serious riots, and wilful acts of murder and bloodshed.

EL CAZADOR.

### *HON. REVERDY JOHNSON.*

LONDON, May 17.—The Paris correspondent of the London *Telegraph* says that the opinion is general in Paris that Reverdy Johnson was induced to make certain declarations to the British government, and thrown overboard by the Grant administration.

[It is to be presumed that the declarations in question which Mr. Johnson was induced to make were made under the auspices of Mr. Seward as Secretary of State.]

SOUTHAMPTON, May 17.—The corporate authorities of this city have united in an invitation to Reverdy Johnson to attend a grand banquet previous to his departure for the United States. Mr. Johnson sails in the steamship *Ohio*, which leaves this port in a few days for Baltimore.

### MARRIED,

In this city, on the 20th inst., by Rev. Thos. H. Pritchard, D. D., Mr. N. B. BROUGHTON to Miss CAROLINE R., daughter of the late W. J. Longee, of this city.

At the residence of the bride's father, on the evening of May 13th, by the Rev. Mr. Daily, WILLIAM H. PEGRY to Miss ALICE Y. THURSTON, all of Wilmington.

At the residence of the bride's father, in this city, on Tuesday evening, 18th inst., by Rev. J. Henry Smith, Mr. A. M. PETTUS, of Danville, Va., to Miss LOTTIE E., daughter of Capt. R. G. Lindsay.

On May 6th, at the residence of the bride's father, Abram Matthis, Esq., in Sampson county, by Rev. B. F. Marable, Mr. ALLEN H. LANE and Miss RACHEL C. MATTHIS.

### DIED:

In Mecklenburg county, on the 5th inst., Mr. Isaac Allison, aged 50 years. Also, on the 9th inst., Mrs. Sarah Parks, aged 69 years.

In the Jersey settlement, Davidson county on the 26th April, Mrs. Harriet Ellis Bradshaw, daughter of the late Anderson Ellis, Esq., in her 66th year.

At his residence in Cumberland county, on Saturday evening, May 15th, John McDonald, aged about 75 years.


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50 Sacks Liverpool Fine Salt, for sale by
may21-tf DOUGLAS BELL.

**FAMILY FLOUR.**

PATAPSCO Flour in barrels and half barrels,
Paragon " " " "
North Carolina " " sacks
Just received by
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**CORN! CORN! CORN!**

1,500 bushels Corn on hand, and to arrive. For sale low on shippers account.
by (may21-tf) DOUGLAS BELL.

**TEAS AND COFFEES.**

BEST GUNPOWDER TEA,
Imperial "
Oolong "
English Breakfast "
Old Government Java Coffee.
Prime Laguira "
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**Pittsboro' Scientific Academy.**

C. B. DENSON, PRINCIPAL.

THE NINTH SESSION BEGINS AUG. 2nd, 1869, and continues 20 weeks. There are three courses:

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Lectures illustrated by Apparatus, Maps, Charts, Chemicals, and Mineralogical and Botanical collections. A practical system is strictly observed in the Commercial Department.

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# Northwestern Mutual Life Insurance Company, Milwaukee, Wisconsin.

THE LARGEST LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY WEST OF THE SEABOARD CITIES, HAVING THE LARGEST BUSINESS AND THE LARGEST INCOME. ITS SURPLUS, THE LARGEST IN PROPORTION TO ITS RISKS, IS RAPIDLY ENHANCING IN VALUE. 2nd. The bulk of its risks being in the Northwest where the climate is more conducive to longevity of life, its RATES OF MORTALITY will naturally be lower. 3rd. Its investments are naturally much less than Eastern Companies' and employes' salaries are naturally much less than Eastern; money being in greater demand and securities more remunerative for the same items in large Eastern Cities. It is insured are Permitted to travel at any time, anywhere North of the Tropic of Cancer, and to reside anywhere North of said Tropic. An investigation of the merits of this Company, by those WILLING to insure is earnestly requested.

The Agent will cheerfully elucidate its system to ANY ONE who may call upon him at his office over R. B. Andrews' Clothing Store and next door to the Office of the *Era*.

C. C. CROW,
GEN'L AGENT FOR N. C.

# GRAND SALE
OF
# REAL ESTATE
AND
# PERSONAL PROPERTY,
BY THE
## NORTH CAROLINA REAL AND PERSONAL ESTATE AGENCY,

RALEIGH, N. C.

**$100,000 CAPITAL STOCK,**

CHARTERED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF NORTH CAROLINA, FEB. 20TH, 1869.

JOSEPH G. HESTER, *President.*
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3,000 VALUABLE PIECES OF PROPERTY TO BE DISPOSED OF, WORTH $148,894!

## $2 A CHANCE!

**REAL ESTATE.**

SEVEN FINE RESIDENCES,—FOUR IN THE CITY OF RALEIGH!

One Residence in Raleigh, N. C., described below.....$10,000
One " " " " 5,000
One " " " " 4,000
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One " Warrenton " 2,000
One " Chapel Hill " 1,500
One Hotel in Taylorsville, N. C. 2,000

**LIST OF PERSONAL PROPERTY.**

Samples on exhibition at HESTER BROS. & CO.'S, No. 26 Fayetteville St., Raleigh, N. C., at the regular cash prices.

10 Fine Pianos, $600 each, made by H. D. Schmidt, Baltimore, Md.....$ 6,000
10 Fine Top Buggies, $350 each, made by H. D. Schmidt, Baltimore, Md. 3,500
50 1st. Premium, 7 octave Pianos, made by Tremaine Bros., N. Y., $650 each, 32,500
5 Parlor or Church Organs, 6 stops $200 made by Tremaine Bros., N. Y. 1,000
500 Sewing Machines, Wilcox & Gibbs or Grover & Baker's $60 each, 30,000
500 Silk Dresses, best article, 12 yards to each dress $40, 20,000
6 Velocipedes, $75, 450
24 Rolls Brussels Carpet, 45 yds each 1.25, 1,350
6 Salamandar Safes, Wilder's patent, best in the world $200, 1,200
1 Cash Prize, $1,000 gold, 1,000
10 Cash Prizes, $100 each, 1,000
200 do do 10 do 2,000
672 do do 5 do 3,360
1,000 do do 2 do 2,000

8000 Prizes Value of the total am't, $146,694

Total number of Tickets, 73,347.

All of the above is put in the drawing at three regular cash selling prices and will be disposed of by a regular mode of Drawing, and in order to accomplish this, the Company will sell 73,347 tickets at $2 each; for further information read section 10 and 11 of the By-Laws of the Company.

BY-LAWS.

SEC. 10. The plan of drawing shall be as follows: there shall be two wheels, one a prize wheel and one a number wheel, arranged in some public place in the city, where any one holding a ticket may be present on the day of drawing.—In the number wheel there shall be as many tickets corresponding in number as there will have been sold. In the prize wheel there shall be as many tickets as there are prizes, these tickets shall be deposited in the wheels by a board of supervisors, who shall be appointed by the Directors, after which, the wheel shall be sealed up and placed in any bank in the city, the Directors may direct, until the time of drawing, when the supervisors shall bring the wheels to the drawing, break the seals and the drawing shall be disposed of by taking a ticket from each wheel, at the same time and the prize ticket taken from the prize wheel shall designate the prize drawn by the ticket corresponding in number to the one taken from the number wheel at the same time. The wheel shall be well shaken after each ticket is drawn.

SEC. 11. The Directors shall designate the time and place of drawing, at which time and place the supervisors shall be required to be present and see that the drawing is conducted entirely equitable.

A Board of Supervisors, will be appointed who will have exclusive control and management of the drawing. They will conduct the distribution and see that each person is legally invested with the property he may draw. A duplicate registry of the tickets sold will be kept; so that, in the event of loss of ticket, the accident may be remedied and no mistake can occur.

The Drawing will take place in TUCKER HALL, in the City of Raleigh, immediately after sale of tickets,—of which due notice will be given.

The Company is working under the provisions of a special Charter granted by the General Assembly of North Carolina, which compels the Company to comply faithfully with all contracts.

Copies can be had on application to the Company.

All the above mentioned property will certainly be disposed of as above stated, and those drawing it will be invested with the title in fee simple.

☞ No member of the Company is allowed to purchase any tickets.

All moneys sent by mail, at the owner's risk; that sent by Express, Registered Letters, Checks or Drafts, at the risk of the Company.

No property will be listed unless the title is indisputable.

The Treasurer has been required to give a bond of five thousand dollars for the faithful performance of his duties. He is required to deposit daily, in the bank, all monies received, where it will remain until all the tickets are sold and all the property will be positively drawn and delivered to the parties drawing, or the money returned. Send two dollars by express, postoffice order, registered letter, or draft, at our risk, or by mail at your own, and take a chance at the 3,000 valuable prizes offered.

Tickets will be sent any where in the United States at the Company's risk.

One fine residence built of brick, in the best improved style, in the city of Raleigh, with eight acres of ground, and all necessary out-buildings, with many fine ornamentals about the yard. Value $ 10,000

One large and convenient house in the city of Raleigh, on Newbern Street, thirteen large comfortable rooms double parlors, with all necessary out-buildings, 14 acres, ground, and a beautiful oak grove. Value..... $ 4,500

One large House on Newbern, and Hoodworth streets, containing twenty-rooms suitable for a boarding house, all necessary out-buildings, with a beautiful oak grove in the yard and 4 acre of ground. Value..... $ 4,500

One beautiful large Residence on Newbern street, eight rooms and basement, four out-buildings and stable, seven acres of ground, elm grove, very desirable and attractive. Value..... $ 3,000

One in Warrenton, N. C., known as the Alston property, in perfect order, one of the best built houses in the State, containing 9 large rooms, double piazzas and porticos, one of the most commanding and beautiful residences in the place, with 8 acres of ground, fine orchard, beautiful oak grove in the yard, and all necessary out-buildings. Value..... $ 5,000

The property at Taylorsville is very attractive, valuable and cheap. It is a Hotel at the county seat of a flourishing and growing village of a thousand or more inhabitants, and situated one square from a good and flourishing College, no school of better grade, right on the line of the Atlantic & Ohio Railroad, and being situated in the mountain region, the scenery is truly delightful and fascinating. Contains twenty rooms, and the buildings are new. Value..... $ 2,000

One in Chapel Hill, containing 4 rooms, with fire-places, and one forty-foot dining room. Also, kitchen, outhouses and one and three-fourths acres of land. Value..... $ 2,000

Those ordering tickets can select any number from 1 to 73,347. If the number ordered has been taken, the number nearest will be sent.

One three cent stamp must accompany every order.

Persons desiring any further information, will please address

JOHN C. HESTER,
Secretary.

apl 16-tf.

**COTTON PLANTING.**

A NOTHER SUPPLY OF JOHNSON'S IMproved Georgia Planters, just received. Orders must be sent in at once to secure them for this season.

JAMES M. TOWLES,
April 15-tf Agt. for Manufactory.

# THE SENTINEL.

## LOCAL DEPARTMENT.

FRIDAY, MAY 21, 1869.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.—Irish Potatoes at Upchurch & Dodd's.

16 Shares N. C. R. R. Stock, Tumblers, Trace Chains and Mahogany Chairs by W. H. Jones & Co.

10,000 Acres Tennessee Land for sale by the N. C. Land Company.

Choice Smoked Beef, Corned Beef Sauce, and Canned Goods by Douglas Bell.

Fresh Goods in large quantities for sale by W. H. & R. S. Tucker & Co.

Maryland Hams, Salt, Flour, Corn, Teas and Coffees by Douglas Bell.

Pittsboro Scientific Academy, C. B. Denson, Principal.

THE attendance upon the Episcopal Convention, now in session in this city, is quite large. Among the delegates who have honored us by a call is the Hon. Lewis Hanes, editor of the *Old North State*, published in Salisbury.

THE weather still continues exceedingly cool. The prospects for cotton and tobacco are extremely poor.

WE are requested to state that the drawing at Tucker Hall, to-morrow, will take place at 4 o'clock, P. M., precisely, instead of 10 o'clock, A. M. The official list of all the lucky members, with the prizes, will appear in our Monday's issue, and all persons holding such numbers can receive their prizes upon demand, by presenting their tickets either in person or proxy, at the office of the N. C. R. & P. E. A. Another drawing will take place on Saturday, the 5th of June, at the same place and hour.—The advertisement will appear to-morrow; the chances will be $1.00 each.

TURTLE SOUP.—We have again to acknowledge some more of Pepper's choice turtle soup. Many thanks.

WE had the pleasure of meeting to day Major John Devereaux, who has just returned from a visit to California. He does not seem to have been as highly impressed with the country and the society of that distant State, as some who have heretofore visited it on a prospecting tour. We believe Old North Carolina is the place for people who are reared as our people generally are.

THE person who has been acting as proof reader, manager, &c., of the *Sentinel* for nearly three months, closes his labors with this issue. He wishes the subscribers of this paper prosperity, peace and happiness.

DR. RAMSEUR is to be a co-editor of the Charlotte *Times*. On yesterday, in collating State news, it was carelessly stated that he was to be an associate editor of *this* paper meaning the *Times*. It of course, ought to have been *that* paper. As we said the other day, errors will occur.

AT THE velocipede school of the Messrs. Hester, last night, two girls respectively, four and seven years of age, rode a velocipede around the room quite gracefully.

MESSRS. Z I. LYON & Co. have presented us with a lot of their choice Durham tobacco. It is fragrant and fine.

The Commencement Exercises of the Pittsboro' Scientific Academy promise much of interest. They take place on the 10th and 11th of June, according to the following programme:

Thursday 10th—11 A. M., Annual Sermon by the Rev. Robt. B Sutton, of Pittsboro', at St. Bartholemew's Church.

8 P. M.—Declamations of Juniors.

Friday, 11th—11 A. M., Orations of Seniors.

5 P. M.—Annual Address to Students and Alumni, by Col. A. A. McKoy, of Clinton, and delivery of Honors, by C. B. Denson, Principal.

8½ P. M.—Display of Fireworks.

10½ P. M.—Student's Ball.

The Committee of Invitation are Messrs. Willie G. Haughton, James M. Leach and Thos. B. Womack, Pittsboro'. James D. Brooks, Chatham Co., and John L. Clegg, Saline Co. Arkansas.

The Marshals are Messrs. Harry Loeb, Wilmington, Joseph Edmundson, Goldsboro', and John McDowell, Elizabethtown.

### PERSONAL.

Miss Burdet Coutts' Columbia Square Market, in Bethnal Green, London, was opened on the 28th ult., amid a ceremony of great interest. Among others there were present the Duchess of Cambridge, and Prince and Princess of Teck, the Archbishop of Canterbury, the Bishop of London, and several distinguished representatives of the temporal peerage.

Dr. Bubbenet, of the University of Kiew, who was present at the siege of Sebastopool, publishes some details of that memorable defence. He says that out of 160,000 men who succeeded each other in the town and fortress down to the 1st of November, when the typhus broke out, 80,000 only, or less than one fifth, remained valid and intact; more than 76,000 were wounded and 15,000 killed, 48,000 fell ill, and of these 8,000 died.

Mr. Thornton, the British Minister, has leased a residence at Newburyport for the season.

King William, although a Protestant, sent the Pope a rich porcelain vase from the Berlin manufactory on the occasion of of his fete

Earnest Edwards, an English photographer, claims to have discovered a process by which he prints his pictures permanently in colors.

A junior student at the Cornell University, in rendering an account to his father of his last term's expenses, entered an item, "Charity, $30." His father wrote back "I fear that 'charity covers a multitude of sins.'"

BROUGHT TO THE CITY.—Sheriff Hunter, of Lenoir, brought to the city, yesterday, for examination before Judge Thomas, Messrs. A. Monroe, Wm. Turnage and Joseph Parrott, recently arrested by him on a peace warrant, charged with liberating prisoners from Lenoir county jail. They were not under strict guard but were allowed to walk the streets at pleasure.—*Newbern Jour. of Com.*

## STATE NEWS.

Two more thieves entered the warehouse of Messrs. J. D. Williams & Co., a few nights since, and cerried out a bale of sheeting and placed it upon a dray near by, and went back to get a barrel of flour, when D. Bryan, a colored policeman, came upon them. He was not able to arrest them, but fired twice as they ran away.—*Fay. Eagle.*

We learn that the Grand Jury of Richmond County, last week, presented the Sheriff, Clerk of the Superior Court and Register of Deeds, for holding their office with insufficient bonds. We learn also that Judge Buxton enforces the stay law as to old debts.—*Ib.*

A GOOD AND USEFUL CITIZEN REMOVED.—Rev. C. H. Wiley, who has filled so many important positions in our State, left his home in this county, last week, for a new field of labor in Tennessee. Mr. W. has too long been before the public to require any commendation, and while we regret his departure, we congratulate Tennessee upon their accession to her host of zealous laborers in the fields of piety and reform. Mr. W. had many admirers and friends and no enemies, in this his native county, and he carries with him to his new home the best wishes of all who know him.—*Greensboro Patriot.*

THOMASVILLE FEMALE COLLEGE.—The Annual Commencement exercises will come off on Wednesday and Thursday, the 2nd and 3rd of June. Rev. J. E. Maynarcie, of Charlotte, will preach the annual sermon on Wednesday night, and Rev. A. W. Mangum will deliver the Address on Thursday, at 11 o'clock. Graduating Exercises Thursday night.—*Ib.*

The Cheraw and Salisbury Railroad was organized at Cheraw last week, by the election of the following officers, as we learn from the *Cheraw Democrat*:

*President*:—B. D. Townsend.

*Directors*:

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| A. F. Rayeaull, | A. J. White, |
| L. D. Mowry, | D. Malloy, |
| W. M Robbins, | L. Green, |
| D. Ingram, | S. J Townsend, |
| | R. J. Donaldson. |

The Spring Term of our Superior Court opened on Monday morning, Judge Cloud presiding. There are no cases of any importance or interest to be tried at this term, except the case of the State against W. P. Henderson, for mule stealing, which is set for Thursday.—*West. Sentinel.*

SOON TO BE OPENED.—The following postoffices on the route between Wilmington and Onslow will, in a very few days be opened:

Scott's Hill,
Steed's Ferry,
Golden Place,
Topsail Sound,
Stone's Bay,
Anson's Store,
Oakley's.—*Wil. Star.*

CATHOLIC FAIR.—The Festival to be given by the ladies of St. Thomas' (Catholic) Church in this city will open at the City Hall, Monday night next, and continue for several days, opening each day at 10 A. M., and remaining open until 11 P. M.—*Wil. Journal.*

TOBACCO STOLEN.—A raid was made a few nights ago, on the barn of Mr. Robert Taylor, of this vicinity, and 300 lbs. of choice tobacco stolen.—*Milton Chronicle.*

WHEAT.—The oldest inhabitant never saw such a promising crop of wheat in this section as that which now decks the fields. They say: a cold spring for a good wheat crop; and if this be so, we ought to have a thundering big crop, for we are shivering from cold at this writing, on the 18th day of May.—*Ib.*

SERIOUSLY ILL.—We regret to learn that Col. David Heston is lying seriously ill at his residence, on Pollok Street, from a severe hemorrhage of the lungs. His family connections have been telegraphed for.—*Newbern Jour. of Com.*

DR. H. C. VOGELL, SUPERINTENDENT OF THE BUREAU SCHOOLS FOR NORTH CAROLINA.—Dr. Vogell was yesterday in our city, having arrived from Raleigh, for the purpose of visiting the Bureau Schools in company with Gen. Rutherford; and to decide what pecuniary aid each school needed.

He ordered Gen. Rutherford to repair several buildings which were in a bad condition, and to charge the cost to the Bureau.

Dr. Vogell is, also, Disbursing Agent of the Peabody Fund for this State and intends to render assistance to those schools most in need of appropriations.—*Wil. Star.*

SALE OF REAL ESTATE.—At auction, yesterday morning, Messrs. Crouly & Morris sold the two story brick dwelling house and lot on Front Street, between Dock and Orange. The lot has a front of 66 feet, running back 262 feet, and the house contains 15 rooms. The sum obtained for it was 6,200.—*Wil. Journal.*

The recent cold weather has nearly ruined the cotton that was up, leaving out farmers, in many cases, without seed to plant again. Will they never learn to hold on to their seed to meet contingencies like this? If the reports that come to us from Edgecombe be correct, the expected amount of cotton for the next crop will be largely diminished.—*East. Intelligencer.*

EPISCOPAL SERVICES.—On Thursday last Bishop Atkinson held divine services in Calvary Church, and administered the rite of Confirmation to sixteen persons, eight of whom were colored.

Large congregations were present, and listened with the greatest attention to the words of the learned divine.—*Tarborough Southerner.*

VALUABLE ACQUISITIONS.—We learn, from a reliable source, that a large number of experienced Farmers of Frederick County, Maryland, intend moving permanently to North Carolina in the coming Fall. It is their purpose to settle somewhere between Wilmington and Weldon, on the line of that Road, and go largely into Truck and Fruit raising. Our informant states that at least two hundred will most certainly emigrate to this State, and that several of the most experienced will visit our section in a short time for the purpose of making observations and prospecting generally.

It is with pleasure that we hail the announcement of such intention, and we are sure they will meet from our people every inducement and encouragement.—*Ib.*

### ANOTHER ENGAGEMENT WITH INDIANS.

OMAHA, May 18.—A wagon train of the Fifth Cavalry arrived at Fort McPherson yesterday, under the command of Lieutenant Forbush. They report that seven companies of the Fifth Cavalry, under General Carr, while moving from Kansas towards Fort McPherson, struck a camp of about 300 Cheyennes on the 10th; a fight ensued, in which the Indians were defeated, leaving 25 warriors on the field and carrying off a large number of wounded. Gen. Carr is still in pursuit, near Medicine Lake.

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J. A. JONES,
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135 boxes 1 boxes and 1 boxes Adamantine Candles, for sale low at wholesale by
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FOR SALE.

ARCTIC ICE CREAM FREEZERS,
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Trace, Halter, Stage and Fifth Chains,
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Chopping, Lathering and Shingling Hatchets.
may 9-tf J. BROWN,
With HART & LEWIS.

PINE APPLES AND BANANAS.

Another fine lot of Fresh Pine Apples and Bananas, just received at
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DID YOU KNOW!

JENKINS & SKILES,
At Thomasville, N. C.,
BREEDERS AND SHIPPERS OF
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Had the FINEST and PUREST STOCK in the United States?

They cordially invite all to visit their Pens and see the fine specimens of this Stock which are sold at about half the usual rates. WARRANTED PURE AND AT LOW RATES.

☞ Send for Circular of prices and particulars. dec 18-6m.

FRESH lot of Dried Beef Tongues and Bologna Sausage, at
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### NOTICE.

THE COMMITTEE APPOINTED TO INVESTIgate the old Banks of the State in which the State held an interest, will meet in the city of Raleigh, Friday June 11th, 1869.

O. L. HAYS, Chairman.
May 20. 3t.

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## TELEGRAPHIC.

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| " Cape Fear | 48 |
| " Charlotte | 35 |
| " Wadesboro | 40 |
| " Wilmington | 30 |
| " Roxboro | 38 |
| " Thomasville | 62 |
| " Graham | 35 |
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| " (new) | 5 |
| " Commerce | 40 |
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| " Fayetteville | 4 |
| " Washington | 12 |
| " Yanceyville | 5 |
| Merchants' Bank of Newbern | 4 |
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| " (new) | 35 |
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| Commercial Bank of Wilmington | 42 |
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| " Wilmington | 3 |
| " Yanceyville | 28 |
| Commercial Bank, Wilmington | 4 |
| Farmer's Bank of North Carolina, (old) | 24 |
| " " (new) | 24 |
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"OVER THE WAY."

BY E. CORNEL SMITH.

Gone in her childish purity
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Where the silver stars and the sunbeams meet,
Paving a path for her wasted feet
Over the silent way.

Over the bosom tenderly
The pearl-white hands are pressed;
Th lashes lie on the cheeks so thin,
Where the soft dust bush of the rose hath been,
Shutting the blue of her eyes within
The pure lids closed in rest.

Over the sweet brow lovingly,
Twineth her sunny hair;
She was so frail that love sent down
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To shade her brow with its waves so brown,
Light as the dimpling air.

Gone to sleep with the tender smile
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By the farewell kiss of her dewy breath,
Cold in the clasp of the angel of Death,
Like the last fair bud of a fading wreath
Whose bloom the white frost nips.

Rosebuds under your shady leaf,
Hid from the sunny day,
Do you miss the glance of the eye so bright,
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It's beaming now in the world of light
Over the starry way.

Here's where the darling's head hath lain,
Held by love's shining ray,
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## MISCELLANEOUS.

**PROPOSALS—MARKET HOUSE.**

RALEIGH, N. C., May 6, 1869.

AT A MEETING OF THE BOARD COMMISsioners held this evening the following resolution was adopted:

*Resolved*, That the Commissioners of Raleigh are now prepared to receive proposals for the building of the Market House and City Hall.

Bids will be received 15 days from above date at the Mayor's Office, where plans and specifications can be seen.

The Commissioners will reserve the right to accept or reject bids.

WM. H. HARRISON, Mayor.

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POST OFFICE, GREENSBORO', N. C.

MR. ROBERT SOUTTER, having purchased the right for Granville County, invites applications from Farmers, for individual rights to manufacture under this process.

He is prepared to furnish pure Sorghum Seed at his Oakland farm near, Townesville, at 25 cents per pound. Address

ROBERT SOUTTER.
apr1-tf Kittrell's Springs.

**JOHN W. HINSDALE,**

**Attorney and Counselor at Law**

FAYETTEVILLE, N. C.

WILL ATTEND THE SUPERIOR COURTS of Cumberland and New Hanover Counties, Supreme Court of North Carolina, The *United States Circuit Court at Raleigh*, and U. S. District Court at Wilmington.

Claims collected in all parts of North Carolina. may 5-tf

**TO RAILROAD CONTRACTORS.**

WESTERN NORTH CAROLINA RAILROAD,
OFFICE OF CHIEF ENGINEER,
Asheville, May 6th 1869.

PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED AT THIS office until the 10th of June next, for the Graduation, Masonry, Bridge Superstructure and Ballasting of one hundred miles of this Road, including (45) miles of the Branch Road down the French Broad river. This, the Western Division of the Road, extends from Asheville westward towards Chattanooga (135) one hundred and thirty-five miles, and a north west branch towards Cincinnati (45) forty-five miles. To contractors, this work presents attractive features consisting of tunneling and other rock excavations, crossing several mountain ranges, besides a large amount of bridge masonry. All of which is accessible to the contractor, being for the most part near the turnpike roads leading from Asheville. Maps, plans, profiles an specifications will be ready after the 20th of May for inspection.

All necessary information in regard to the work may be obtained at this office upon application.

JAMES D. TURNER,
Chief Eng. West. Div. W. N. C. R. R.
may 10-3aw3t.

## LIFE INSURANCE.

**NATIONAL**

LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY,

OF THE

**UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,**

WASHINGTON, D. C.

*Chartered by Special Act of Congress, Approved July 25th, 1868.*

CASH CAPITAL,

**$1,000,000,**

PAID IN FULL.

It is no longer a question with any man, who tenderly loves his wife and children, who considers how helpless would be their condition in case of his death, as to the duty of taking out a LIFE POLICY, but as to which Company he shall pay his money.

If he reflects a moment he will conclude to patronize the Company which shows the greatest degree of vitality, which extends its business over the largest area, which is a Home Company in every locality; which furnishes insurance at the least cost; which issues no policies that are forfeitable should he be unable next year, or any subsequent year to pay his renewal; and which is undoubtedly able to meet ALL ITS PROMISES.

With these feelings and views, he looks over the newspapers, and, by the time he gets through reading the advertisements of Mutual or Mixed Companies, he finds his mind so muddled that he is at a loss where to go or what to do. He can not comprehend one-half that is written, and concludes that none but ACTUARIES, who are familiar with the principles upon which Life Insurance is based can comprehend or explain anything about dividends and his liability for notes given in part payment of premiums. In his dilemma, he looks into the plan adopted by the

**NATIONAL**

LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY,

**U. S. A.,**

and finds just what he wants:

**An ALL-CASH PLAN, reduced to the LOWEST MINIMUM Rate, like any commodity in Market, so much Insurance for so much Money. No notes to give; no interest to pay; no anxiety about Assessments; no apprehension of his Policy being forfeited next year if he does not pay his annual Renewal; and the RATES so much LOWER than other Companies, that he realizes a larger Dividend, IN ADVANCE, than other Companies can pay him in the future.**

He finds that, instead of this UNCERTAIN PROMISE, and present high rate, that the

NATIONAL

presents a certain and definite sum for a much lower rate, and puts up its paid up Capital of

**$1,000,000**

as a guarantee fund, that its contracts will be fulfilled, and, like thousands of others, cheerfully calls on their Agent to make his application for a Policy. Hence the unprecedented and most wonderful success of the NATIONAL as contrasted with the older and Mutual Companies.

The Company issued its first policy on the 1st of August, 1868, and up to March 1st, 1869, it had issued 3,592 policies.

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| Amount insured, | $10,003,500.00 |
| Total Premiums, | 350,117.03 |

The whole number issued by the Connecticut Mutual in the first year of its existence was 602

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| By the Mutual Benefit of New Jersey, | 602 |
| " New England Mutual, | 343 |
| " Phœnix Mutual, | 335 |
| " Massachusetts Mutual, | 313 |
| " Equitable of New York, | 277 |

The Mutual Life, of New York, in the first year of its existence, only issued 470 policies.

In its 19th year, 1,220 "
And in its 20th year, 2,662 "

this latter being 600 less than was issued by the NATIONAL in its first seven months.

**JAY COOKE & CO.,**

GENERAL AGENTS FOR THE SOUTHERN STATES.

**P. F. PESCUD, Raleigh,**
General Agent for North Carolina.

CHAS. E. JOHNSON, RALEIGH,
Medical Examiner and Referee for N. C.
mar20-tf

# THE Sentinel.

PUBLISHED AT THE

CAPITAL OF THE STATE,

**Daily, Semi-Weekly and Weekly.**

**NEW ARRANGEMENT.**

The RALEIGH SENTINEL having passed under the Editorial management of the undersigned, it will, from the present date, be conducted by him.

It will be the zealous and fearless advocate of the CONSTITUTION of the United States, seeking to bring the people back to their ancient reverence for that immortal instrument, and to restore the policy of the country to that honored standard, as the only guarantee of National prosperity.

It will do justice to the men and measures of the present day, whenever they may merit it, but it will unsparingly lash and denounce all who set themselves up in opposition to the Federal Constitution, and hold up to the public indignation corruption and imbecility in high places.

It will ardently seek the promotion of the best interests of North Carolina,—moral, educational, material and political.

**THE LATEST NEWS**

From every quarter, both by mail and telegraph will be carefully collated and presented.

Full and correct market and financial reports will be given.

And, in one word, no effort will be spared to make the SENTINEL, in all respects, a reliable

**FIRST CLASS NEWSPAPER.**

**TERMS.**

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| Daily, twelve months | $10 00 |
| " six " | 5 00 |
| " three " | 3 00 |
| " one " | 1 00 |
| Semi-Weekly, twelve months | 5 00 |
| " six " | 3 00 |
| " three " | 1 50 |
| Weekly, twelve months | 3 00 |
| " six " | 1 50 |
| " three " | 1 00 |

The SENTINEL has already the largest subscription in the State, and, as its columns and circulation attest, is an unsurpassed medium for advertising.

The friends of the paper and of the cause it advocates are earnestly solicited to aid in its further circulation.

**JOB PRINTING,**

of all kinds executed neatly and promptly.

All letters should be addressed to

**JOSIAH TURNER, Jr**
Dec. 1-tf Editor.

## MISCELLANEOUS.

MRS. C. R. OWEN,

**MILLINER and DRESSMAKER,**

Hillsboro', Orange County, N. C.

MRS. OWEN, after fifteen years experience in the business, feels capable of suiting the taste of any lady.

She offers her services to the Ladies of North Carolina in making and purchasing BONNETS AND DRESSES for them.

Dec. 8-tf

N. C. HAY,

apr2-tf For sale by W. H. JONES & CO.

T. V. MOSS,

**WATCH-MAKER AND JEWELLER,**

HAS RESUMED BUSINESS IN THE Store formerly occupied by C. B. Root, Esq., and now by Mr H. T. CLAWSON,

**No. 9, East Side Fayetteville St.,**

5 doors South of the State House, where he will be pleased to serve his friends and the public generally.

dec 25-tf

AN ANSWER TO THIS GREAT QUESTION:

"Where to Get First-Class Goods at Reasonable Prices!"

GO TO

**M. GRAUSMAN,**

**MERCHANT TAILOR,**

FAYETTEVILLE STREET, RALEIGH, N. C.

AS FAR AS GOODS ARE CONCERNED, my Cloths, Cassimeres, &c., are first-class in style and quality. It really does the eye good to examine them.

The art in making up such Goods stylish and becoming is simple and correct, and almost an impossibility to fail in making a PERFECT FIT.

My stock of READY-MADE CLOTHING, mostly custom work, as well as Gentlemen's Furnishing Goods, Hats, Boots and Shoes, &c., is large and well selected, and I am willing to Retail at Wholesale prices.

Don't fail to call on your servant.

apr8-tf M. GRAUSMAN.

**Notice.**

OFFICE NORTH CAROLINA LAND CO., RALEIGH, N. C., Feb. 27, 1869.

This Company makes no charge for advertising Lands, Farms, Houses, Mines, &c., placed with them for sale. They only charge 5 per cent. on the amount obtained, and this not until the sale is perfected.

GEORGE LITTLE, President.
R. W. BEST, Sec. & Treas.
Feb. 27-tf

THE NORTH CAROLINA LAND COMPANY have purchasers for 5 or 6 City Building Lots.

Feb 5-tf

**LANDRETH'S WARRANTED GARDEN SEEDS.**

A good variety just received, and for sale wholesale and retail, by

Feb 11-tf J. A. JONES, Raleigh, N. C

**CAUTION!** WE desire to warn the dealers in, and consumers of Snuff generally, that since the war, certain Tobacco Manufacturers, being unable to find a market for their snuffs, felt themselves obliged to counterfeit the general appearance of our packages, and imitate our Trade Marks so that a close inspection is necessary to detect the spurious article from the genuine, and others going so far as to assert that "Lorillard's Snuff is no longer made."

In making this publication we desire to warn the public against the impositions practiced upon them, as they are the losers thereby. It will be found, upon comparison, that Lorillard's snuff is "far ahead" of all others, being made of the best stock after an original and secret process known only to ourselves, besides possessing great age, strength and pungency, and is warranted not to rot in any dangerous or deleterious substances, which cannot be said of many worthless articles put on sale by others. The best is the cheapest in the end. A circular will always be mailed on application. In ordering please specify if Salt Snuff (High Toast,) or Fresh Snuff (Extra Scotch) is desired.

P. LORILLARD, New York.

March 15 3md

SUPERIOR KILN-DRIED GRITS,

For sale by

apr2-tf W. H. JONES & CO.

JUST RECEIVED AND FOR SALE,
Fine Mountain Apples, Seed Oats,
Onions and Onion Sets.
Irish Potatoes and White Corn Meal.

Feb. 29-tf W. H. JONES & CO.

**FASHIONS**

**1869 FOR SPRING 1869,**

**KRETH & WEIKEL**

**MERCHANT TAILORS**

**Fayetteville Street**

RALEIGH, N. C.

ANNOUNCES TO THEIR PATRONS AND the public, that they have just received their Spring Stock of superior English, French and German

CLOTHS,
DOESKINS,
CASSIMERES
VESTINGS,

which will be made up by the best workmen in the State, and in the latest styles charges exceedingly moderate, and satisfaction warranted in all cases.

March 29-3m.

**1869. SPRING, 1869.**

WE WOULD RESPECTFULLY ANNOUNCE to our customers and the public that we have received our SPRING AND SUMMER STOCK of

**Staple and Fancy Dry Goods,**

consisting, in part, of

MOZAMBIQUE LENOES,
POPLINETS, ORGANDIES and LAWNS,
A large assortment of PRINTS,
PARASOLS and UMBRELLAS,
HANDKERCHIEFS, Plain and hemmed stitched,
SAINSOOKS, JACONETS,
SWISS and MULL MUSLINS,
THREAD CAMBRIC,
LINEN and BISHOP'S LAWN,
EMBROIDERIES and HOSIERY,
LADIES and MISSES' HATS and BONNETS,
HOOPS and CORSETS,
SHOES, SLIPPERS and GAITERS,
MEN and BOYS' CLOTHS, CASSIMERES,
LINENS and COTTONADES,
BOOTS, SHOES and HATS

and a general assortment of Goods usually found in a Dry Goods House.

New and desirable Goods are being constantly added to our stock.

We are offering great inducements to Merchants, who will find it to their interest to examine our stock before purchasing elsewhere.

Thankful for the liberal patronage we have received, we solicit a continuance of the same, feeling assured that our goods and prices will compare favorably with any in the State

**PRIMROSE, PETTY & NEWSON,**

Wholesale and Retail Merchants,

apr2-3m 20 Fayetteville St.

JOHN S. DANCY, F. M. HYMAN, T. B. HYMAN,
Tarboro, N. C. Late Warren'n N. C. of N. Y.

**HYMANS & DANCY,**

**General Commission Merchants,**

No. 47 Wide Water St., (Rear of Custom House,)

NORFOLK, Va.

DANCY, HYMAN & CO.,

**General COMMISSION MERCHANTS,**

No. 24 Exchange Place, New York.

Cotton and other produce sold at owners option, in Norfolk or New York, charging only one commission. feb 5-tf

R. R. HEATH, C. W. FRAZER.

**HEATH & FRAZER,**

**ATTORNEYS AT LAW**

MEMPHIS, TENN.

Feb. 24-3m

**Umbrellas & Parasols**

**SPRING & SUMMER 1869,**

ARE PREPARED TO WHOLESALE AND Retail buyers a large Stock of

UMBRELLAS, PARASOLS
AND SUN UMBRELLAS

may 2-tf W. H. & S. S. TUCKER & CO.

## RAILROADS.

**TO SHIPPERS.**

**NORTH CAROLINA**

**ALL STATE**

**RAILWAY LINES, (THAT USED TO BE.)**

THE OLD RALEIGH & GASTON RAIL ROAD THE SHORTEST, QUICKEST, SAFEST AND BEST LINE, NORTH AND SOUTH, TO BE LEFT OUT IN THE COLD. UNLESS SHIPPERS SPECIALLY SAY VIA. R. & G. R. R.!

WE Inaugurated and are the *Great through Inland Air Line Route* to all the Northern Markets, and have successfully worked the Line to the entire satisfaction of Shippers, North and South, for the last ten years, as the few Thousand Shippers in North and South Carolina will testify. We paid the State near Seven Hundred Thousand Dollars for her Interest in this Road—thereby saving the people from Taxation for all time to come, $50,000 per year; and we unhesitatingly declare that we can and will give more dispatch to all points, North and South, than any other Line.

**NOTICE!**

**The Great Inland Air Line Freight**

**R O U T E,**

Via THE RALEIGH & GASTON RAIL ROAD,

is the Short Line for Shippers, and you are required so to direct your Freights, or they will be taken by another Route!

To insure your Freight being carried over this Great Inland Air Line safely, direct your consignments to Rack your Freight, Care of Rail Road Agent, Portsmouth, Va., or City Point, Va., via Raleigh & Gaston Rail Road, and to ship as follows:

FROM BOSTON:
Merchants' & Miner's Line, end of Central Wharf, B. Sampson, Agent.

FROM NEW YORK:
Old Dominion Steamship Co., Shipping Point, Pier 37 North River, Foot Beach St., Office 168, Greenwich St. Cor. Dey; N. L. McCready, President.

FROM PHILADELPHIA:
Via Ammunessen,) Pinks, Wilmington and Baltimore Depot, or Clyde's Line of Steamers, 14 Delaware Avenue, W. P. Clyde, Agent.

FROM BALTIMORE:
Baltimore Steam Packet Co., Bay Line Steamers, Foot Union Dock, L. B. Parks, Agent, or Powhatan Steam Boat Co., 20 Light street Wharf.

C. D. ALLEN,
Nov 25. Freight Ag't Raleigh N. C.

**MISCELLANEOUS**

**NEW METHOD OF WASHING CLOTHES WITHOUT LABOR.**

**THE AUTOMATIC**

**CLOTHES WASHER AND BOILER,**

THIS BOILER IS MOST EFFECTUAL, reliable and universally recommended. It can be used on any stove or range, in any boiler, and the low price of the article places it within the reach of every family.

The Boiler operates upon purely philosophic principles, is self-acting, and dispenses with lifting and the wear of the clothes.

The hot suds and steam, by the action of heat, are driven up through tubes, poured upon the clothes, and forced through the fabric with astonishing rapidity, cleaning all articles, from the finest laces to the coarsest blanket. For Flannels it is invaluable, as it does not full them as in the old process of rubbing and pressing.

The time required for cleaning a boiler full of clothes is twenty to forty minutes, and twenty three gallons of boiling suds are forced through the boiler thoroughly loosening and purifying the dirt WITHOUT LABOR or friction.—A thorough rinsing finishes the process.

Washing day will no longer be a terror and dread to housewives. The cost of the Boiler will soon be returned in the SAVING OF TIME AND LABOR, and the great saving in the wear of clothes.

The great value of this invention appears so clear, and appeals so directly to common sense, that we have deemed it unnecessary to accompany its introduction with numerous letters of approval, &c.

No invention has met with such ready sale and given such satisfaction. Call at LOUGEE & BROTHER'S, and see its wonderful operations.—We have the exclusive right to sell and manufacture in the State.

All orders must be addressed to

J. B. HUNTER & CO.,
Jan 15-tf Raleigh, N. C.
Standard copy.

**GROCERIES, &c.**

50 kegs Old Dominion Nails.
5 bales Axes.
75 sacks Liverpool Fine Salt.
10 Tierces Hams.
10 bbls. Prime Mullets.
25 kits No. 1 Boston Mackerel.
10 bbls Peach Blow Potatoes.
1000 lbs new Carolina lard.
40 sacks Rio Coffee.
5 " Laguira do.
200 lbs Green and Black Tea—choice brands.
50 sacks N. C. Flour
25 bbls Brown, Refined and Crush'd Sugars.
10 kegs Glades and Goshen Butter.
20 Gross Parlor Matches.
50 Reams large and small sized Wrapping Paper.

Any or all of which can be bought on good terms.

Dec 4 B. P. WILLIAMSON.

M. H. PINNIX,

**ATTORNEY AT LAW,**

LEXINGTON, N. C.

Will practice in the Courts of Davidson, Forsythe, Guilford, Alamance and Randolph Counties. Also in the District and Supreme Courts and Courts of Bankruptcy.

Refers to Hon. R. M. Pearson, C. J. of N. C., Raleigh; Hon. E. G. Reade, " P. Dick, and Thos. Settle, Associates S. Court; Hon. Bedford Brown, and John Kerr, Yanceyville; Hon. J. B. McLean, and Thos. Ruffin, Jr., Greensboro'.

Feb. 2-tf

**W. C. STRONACH & CO.,**

32 FAYETTEVILLE ST.,

DEALERS IN

Heavy Groceries, Canned Goods, Pickled, Spices, Sauces, Fruits, Vegetables, Tobacco, Segars, Crockery, Saddlery, Hollow and Willow Ware.

March 5-tf

FLOUR! FLOUR! FLOUR!

All kinds, at all prices.

Feb 24-tf DOUGLAS BELL.

**W. C. STRONACH & CO,**

**Grocers and General Commission Merchants,**

42, FAYETTEVILLE STREET,

**Raleigh, N. C.**

Consignments of all kinds of Country Produce Solicited.

**FOR RENT.**

A DWELLING HOUSE, WITH SIX ROOMS, four fire places, good kitchen and necessary out houses. Situated on Hargett Street, nearly opposite the residence of M. Grausman.

W. H. JONES & CO.,
March 30-tf Aug. & Com Merchants.

**PHILLIPS & MERRIMON,**

**ATTORNEYS AT LAW,**

RALEIGH, N. C.

S. F. PHILLIPS. A. S. MERRIMON.
Dec 29-tf

**SEMI-WEEKLY INDEX,**

HENDERSON, N. C

A Democratic Family Newspaper published every Tuesday and Friday, in Henderson, N. C., and circulating over the Counties of Granville, Warren and Franklin. Terms of advertising reasonable. Address,

HARRIS & NEWBY,
March 1-tf Henderson, N. C.

CHOICE STOCK of FANCY and HEAVY Groceries now arriving at

apr7-tf W. C. STRONACH & CO'S.

**CUTLERY.**

FINE AND COMMON POCKET KNIVES, Fine and Common Knives and Forks, Butcher, Bread and Shoe Knives, Carving Knives and Forks.

J. BROWN,
April 17-tf With HART & LEWIS.

## MISCELLANEOUS.

**1869. SPRING GOODS. 1869.**

**S. KLINE & CO.,**

Corner Fayetteville and Hargett Sts.,

Have now in Store a very large and elegant stock of

**Staple and Fancy Dry Goods,**

**READY MADE CLOTHING,**

HATS, BOOTS AND SHOES,

LIQUORS OF ALL KINDS,

CHINA, CROCKERY AND GLASS WARE,

Which they offer at remarkably

**LOW RATES.**

They respectfully invite

COUNTRY MERCHANTS

to call and examine, as they feel confident of offering unusual inducements.

EVERY DEPARTMENT

will be found complete.

Our Goods have been selected with GREAT CARE.

Attentive Clerks will be ready to wait upon all who may favor us with a call.

Remember to call at

**S. KLINE & CO'S.,**

WHOLESALE AND RETAIL DEALERS,
Corner of Fayetteville and Hargett Streets,
Raleigh, N. C.

apr9-tf

**JOHN ARMSTRONG,**

**BOOKBINDER**

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OVER THE N. C. BOOKSTORE,

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Trial, Execution, Minute and Recording Dockets made to order.

North Carolina Reports and other Law Books, bound in superior Law Binding.

Missing numbers of the Reports supplied and odd numbers taken in exchange for binding.

Dec. 1

**Plows, Plows, Plows.**

I HAVE on hand, OF OUR OWN MANUFACTURE, NOW ready for delivery,

500 No. 0 Plows.
200 " A 6 "
100 Self sharpening Plows.
100 Cotton and Corn "
10,000 the Plow Castings, consisting of Points, Bars and Mouldboards.
1,000 lbs. Plow Bolts.

A liberal discount made to the trade.

Jan. 16-tf B. P. WILLIAMSON.

MRS. OETTINGER IS IN RECEIPT OF her stock of MILLINERY, and has just returned from New York well posted in all the latest styles. She will sell as reasonable as ever.

OPENING DAY on the 8th of April.

Just received, a lot of the latest styles

OPERA HATS.

ISAAC OETTINGER is in receipt of his stock of Dry Goods, Clothing, Shoes, Boots, Hats, &c., to which he calls the attention of his customers and the public. apr3-3m

**CAMERON & HILL,**

(Successors to R. H. COWAN & Co.)

**General Commission and Shipping Merchants,**

AGENTS FOR

M. Davis & Son's (Liberty, Va.) celebrated Chewing Tobacco.
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JAS. H. HILL,
No 32 N. Water Street,
March 9-tf Wilmington, N. C.

MRS. HENRY W. MILLER'S

**BOARDING HOUSE,**

CORNER NEWBERN AND PERSON STREETS,

**RALEIGH, N. C.**

Jan 1-tf

**THE EXCHANGE HOTEL,**

[FORMERLY MOODY HOUSE,]

**CHARLOTTE, N. C.,**

HAS BEEN RE-OPENED for the accommodation of the traveling public by Mr. and Mrs. BOWE, formerly of Company Shops Hotel. Terms moderate. Transient custom solicited. As "THE EXCHANGE" is under the direction of the skill and unsurpassed experience of one of the most accomplished caterers now to be found in the South, it is reasonable to ask for it a share of the public patronage. Call and test the declaration. Jan. 1-tf

**J. B. HUNTER & CO.,**

**COTTON FACTORS,**

AND

**Produce Commission Merchants,**

CORNER HIGH & WATER STREETS,

**PORTSMOUTH, Va.,**

Will sell in the markets of NORFOLK and PORTSMOUTH, LIVERPOOL, or LONDON, Cotton, Tobacco, Naval Stores, Dried Fruit and all markets.

No Produce

Liberal advancements made on actual shipments, and personal attention paid to purchase of merchandise. Nov 17

**A. D. TAYLOR,**

**Grocer and Commission Merchant.**

No. 10 Hargett Street,

Dealer in CHOICE FAMILY SUPPLIES, Liquors, Teas, Coffees, Spices, Wood and Willow Ware, Crockery, &c. feb 3-tf

**Flour, Flour.**

JUST RECEIVED ON SALE A LARGE LOT of prime N. C. Flour in Sack. Also, 20 Barrels good Baltimore Flour at $8 00 per barrel.

JAMES M. TOWLES,
apri 29-tf Com. Merch't & Auctioneer.

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**ENCOURAGE STATE INSTITUTIONS!**

**INSURE IN THE**

**North Carolina Home Insurance Company,**

**Raleigh, N. C.**

**Chartered Capital $500,000.**

**Now liable for Losses $181,000.**

**$20,000 Deposited with the State Treasurer, for security of Policy Holders**

This Home Company is already a success.

J. H. FOOTE, PRESIDENT.

W. H. MURDOCH, Asst. Sec. & Local Agt. | SEATON GALES, Secretary.

may 6-2m

**Syrup.**

GOLDEN SYRUP AT

may 6-tf G. T. STRONACH